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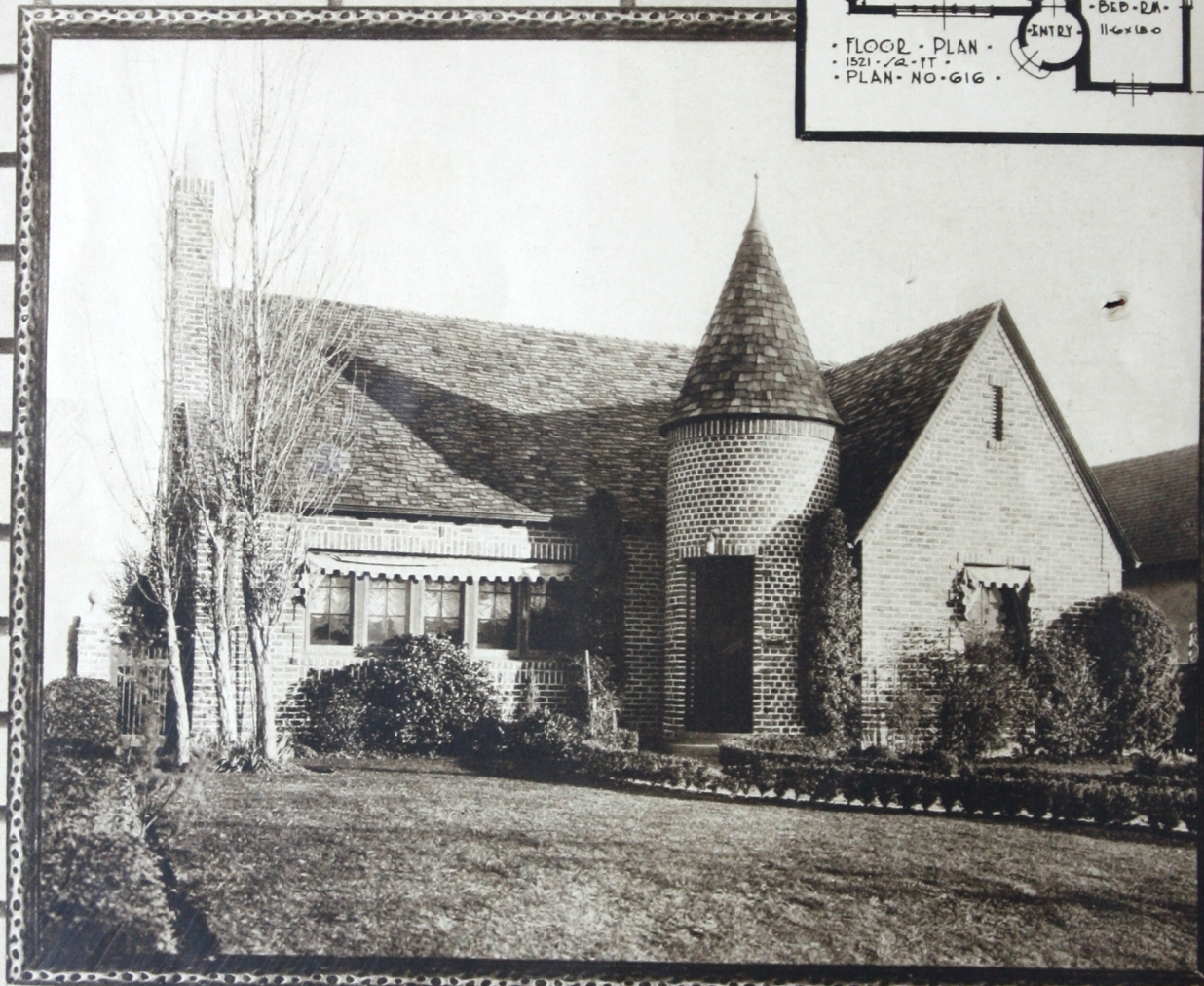
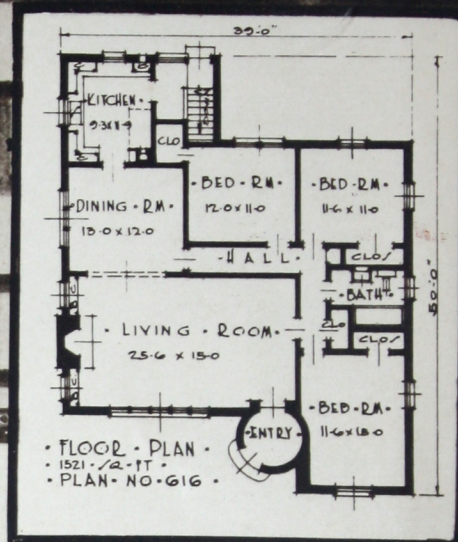
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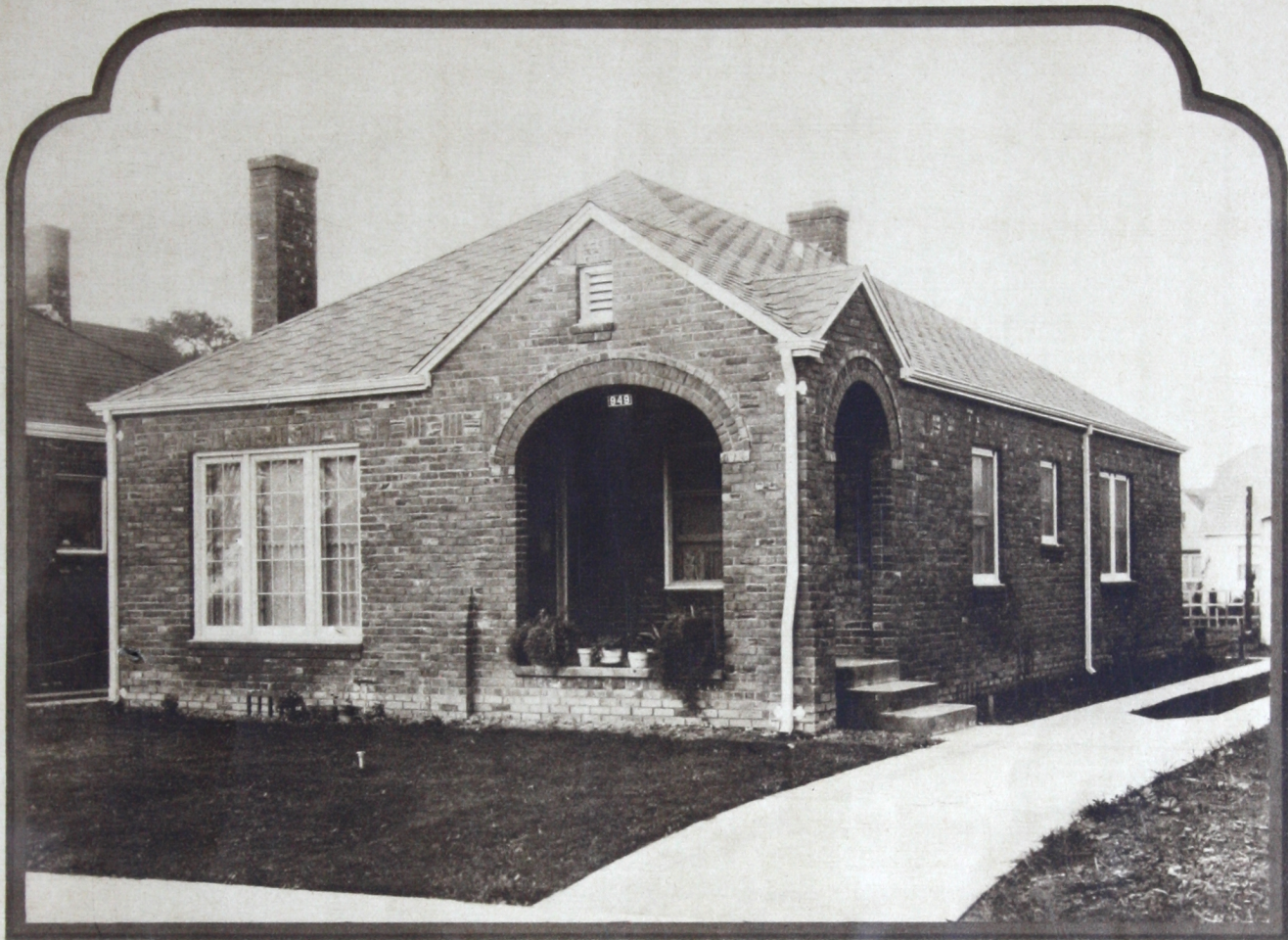
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THE JAMES

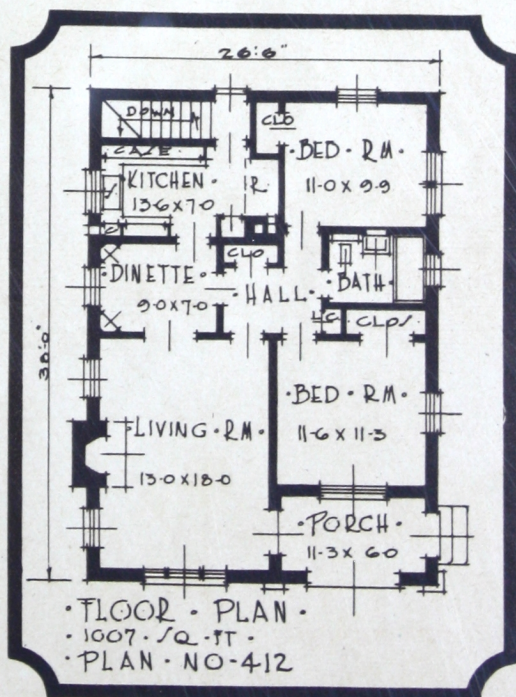
Here the designer has shown us an exterior of much merit in composition and has pictured it most charmingly. The walls are of brick in various soft, mellow, red tones, laid in white mortar. The roof is of brown shingles, staggered.
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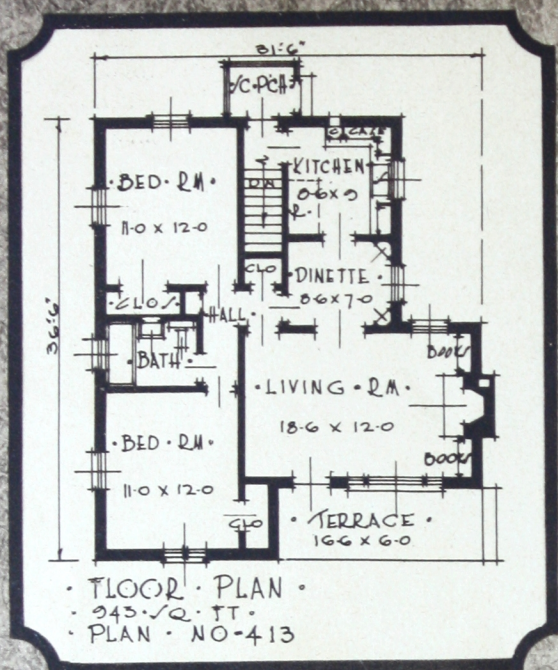


THE AMESBURY

Housekeeping should be easy in such a house as this. It is an inspiration to orderliness. Special care has been used in handling the floor plan to provide every necessary convenience and insure step and labor savings. The dining room has been eliminated and in its place is a comfortable-sized dinette. Both bedrooms have cross ventilation.

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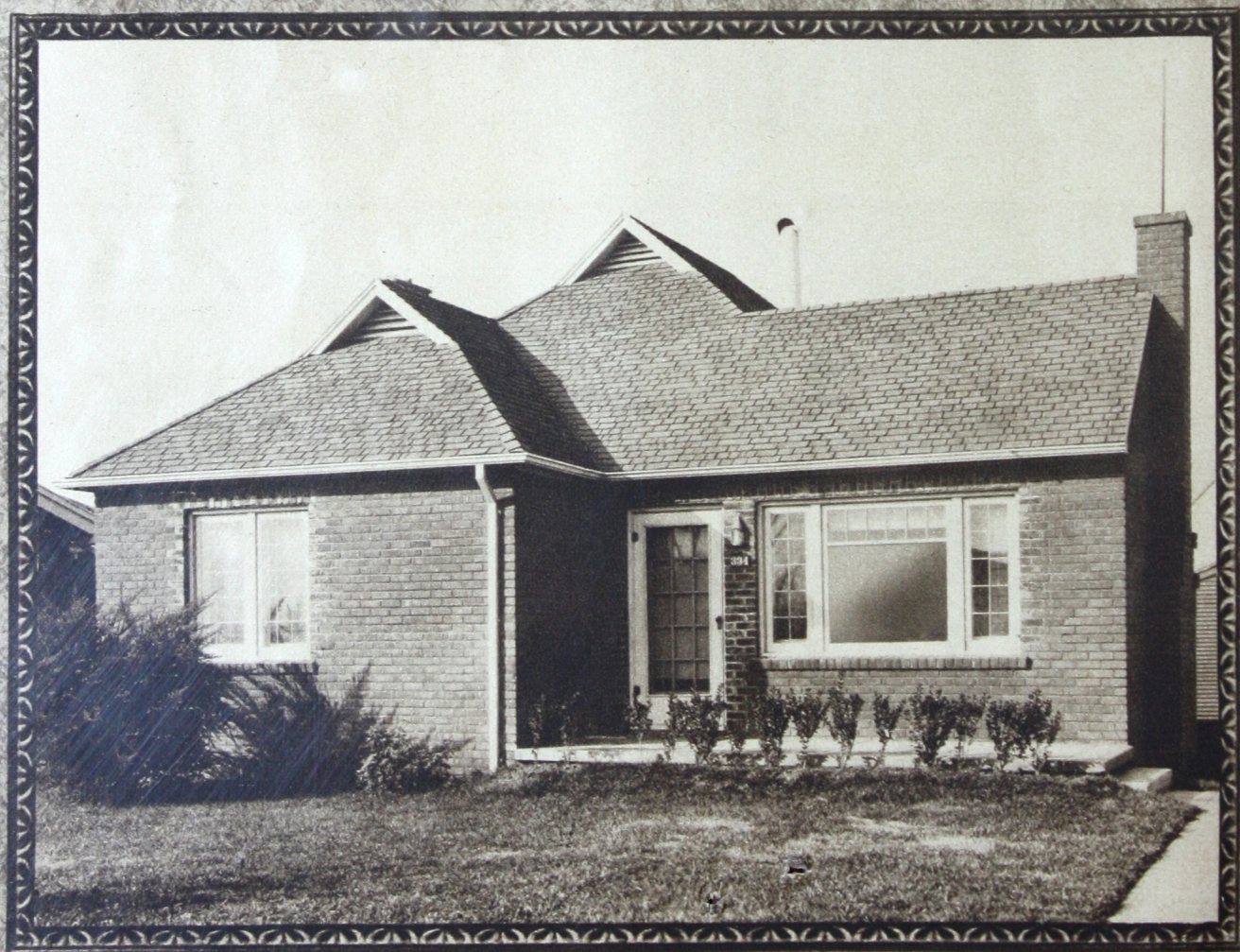


THE ARLEN

Brick construction is steadily growing in favor for small homes owing to the relatively low cost of upkeep for the exterior walls. In some districts, the insurance rate for this type of home is lower.

The compact and livable floor plan is very convenient.

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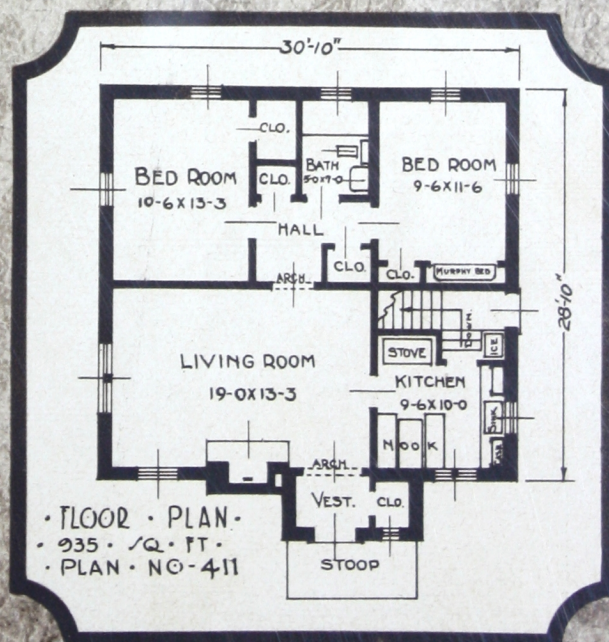


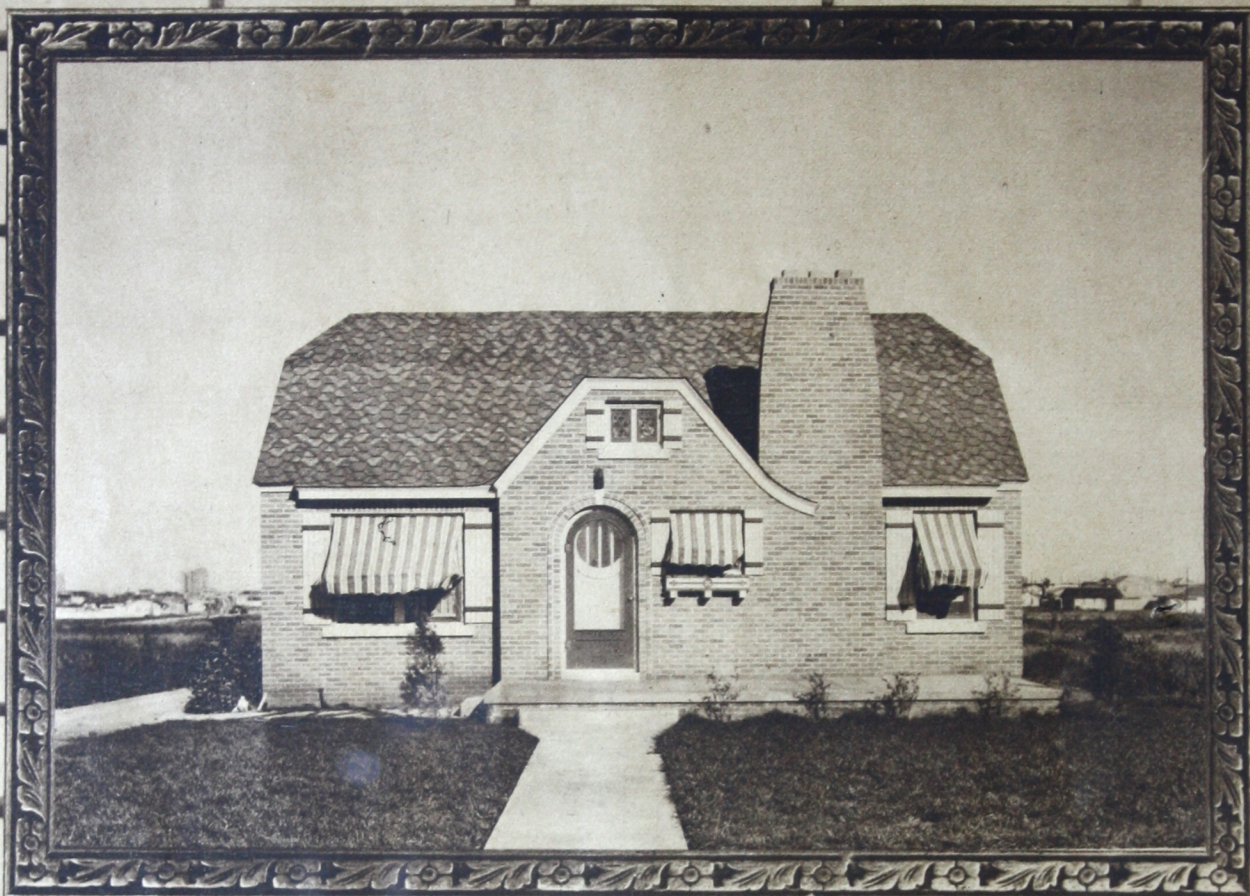


THE ARTHUR

This is a type of dwelling that will hold its own in any neighborhood of small homes.

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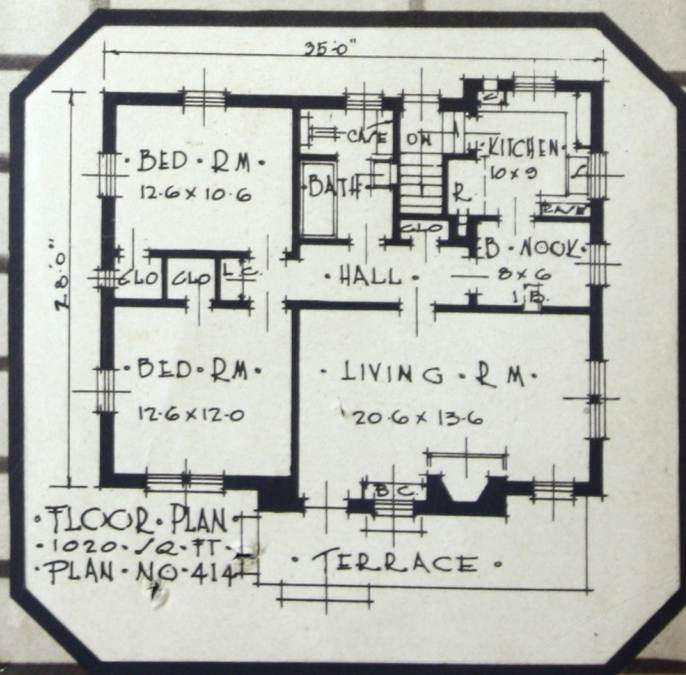


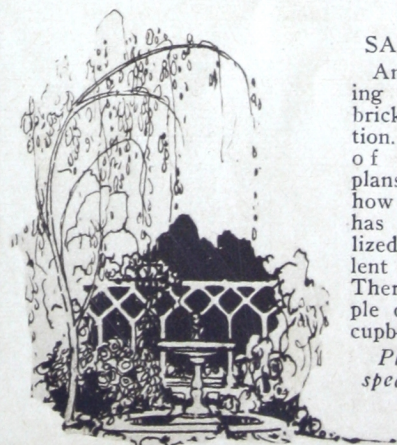
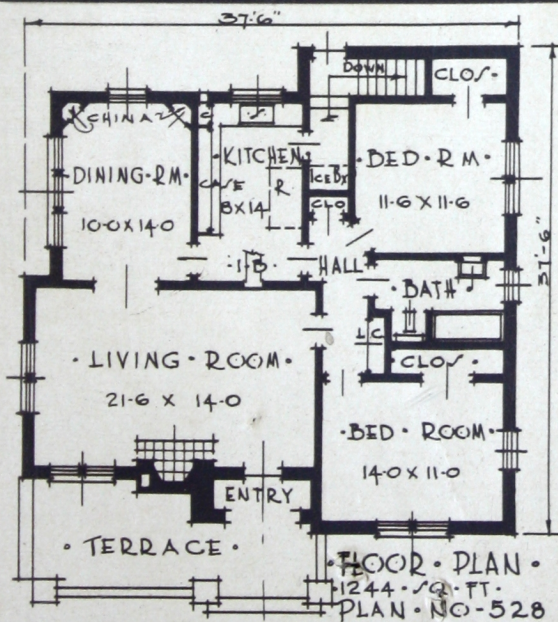
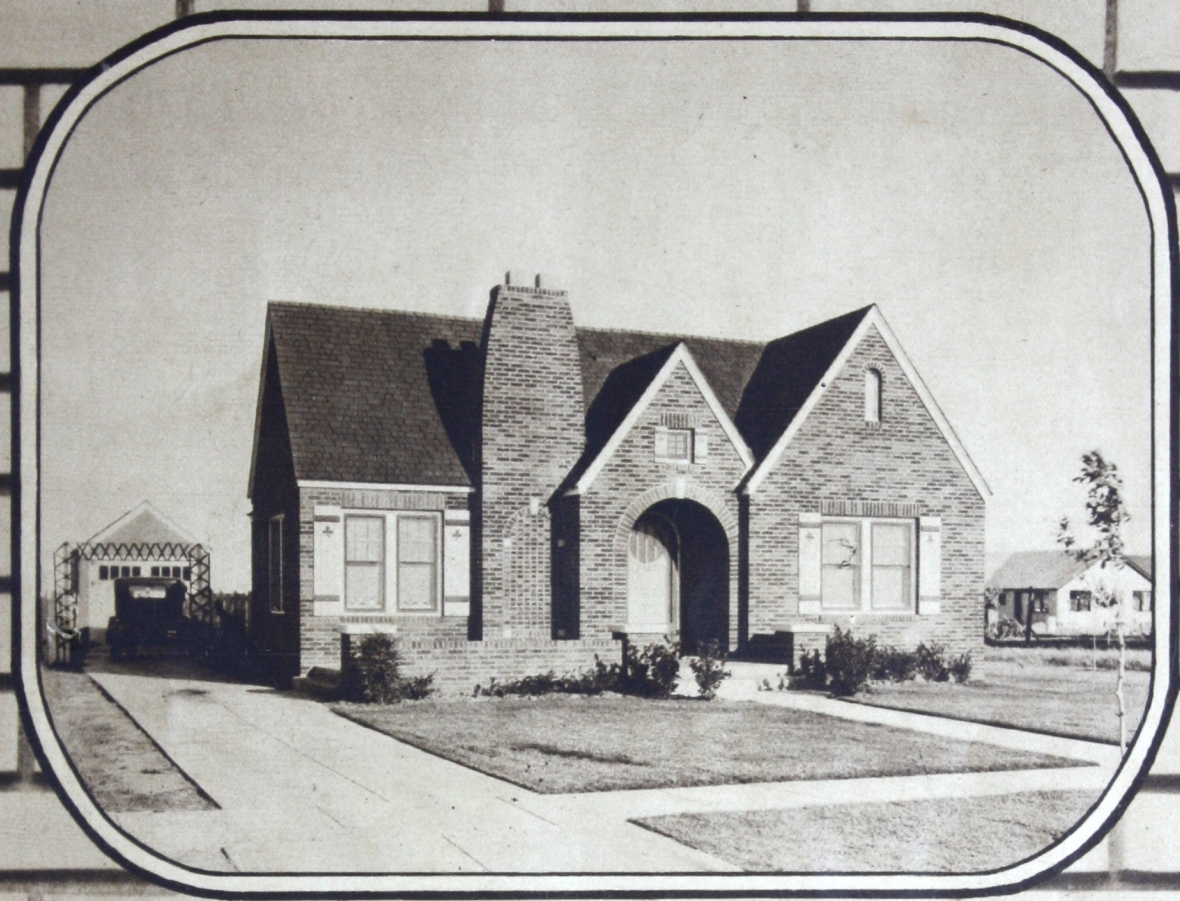
THE STEELE

This house, because of its good lines and expert handling of details, is unusually distinctive. The soft buff tones of the brick, the green trim on buff shutters, the tan and green awnings and the green roof make an extremely pleasing color scheme.

Imagine the joy and pleasure in possessing this attractive home. A home of your own is the best investment you can make.

Plans and specifications, \$9.00.

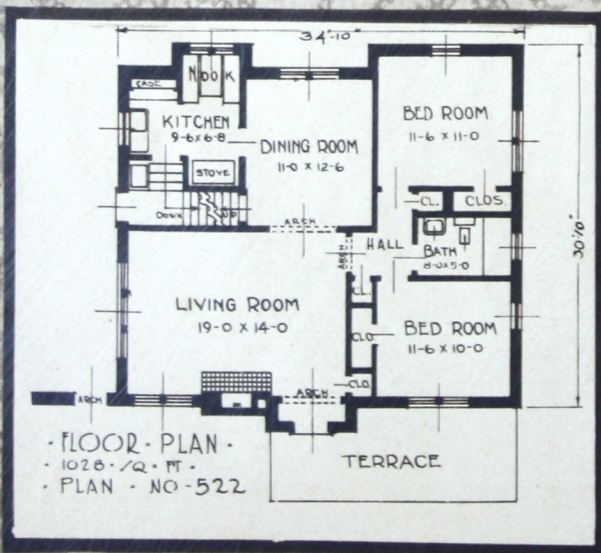




THE SANDFORD

An outstanding type for brick construction. A study of the floor plans shows how the space has been utilized to excellent advantage. There are ample closets and cupboards.

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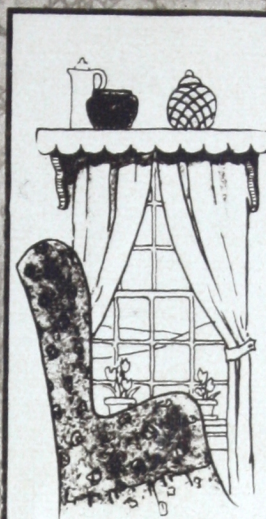
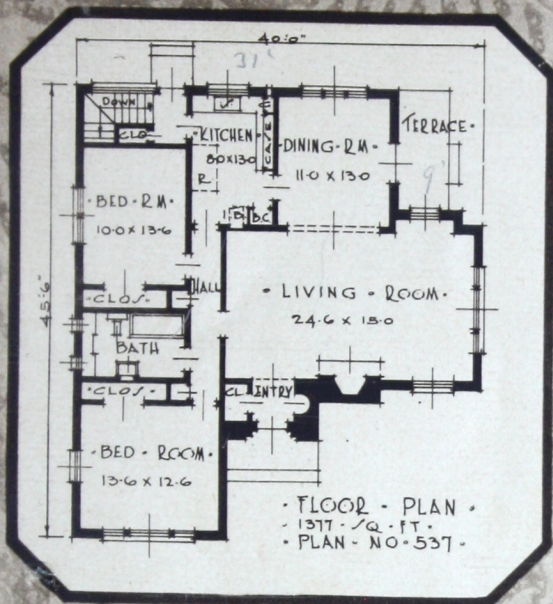


THE STANLEY

A splendid type of house. Its greatest charm lies in the long, graceful sweep of the gable. The circle head doorway and archway, the door hardware and the close clipped eaves are all pleasing details. The bricks are in smooth, soft brown tones.

The floor plan is arranged to eliminate unnecessary steps.

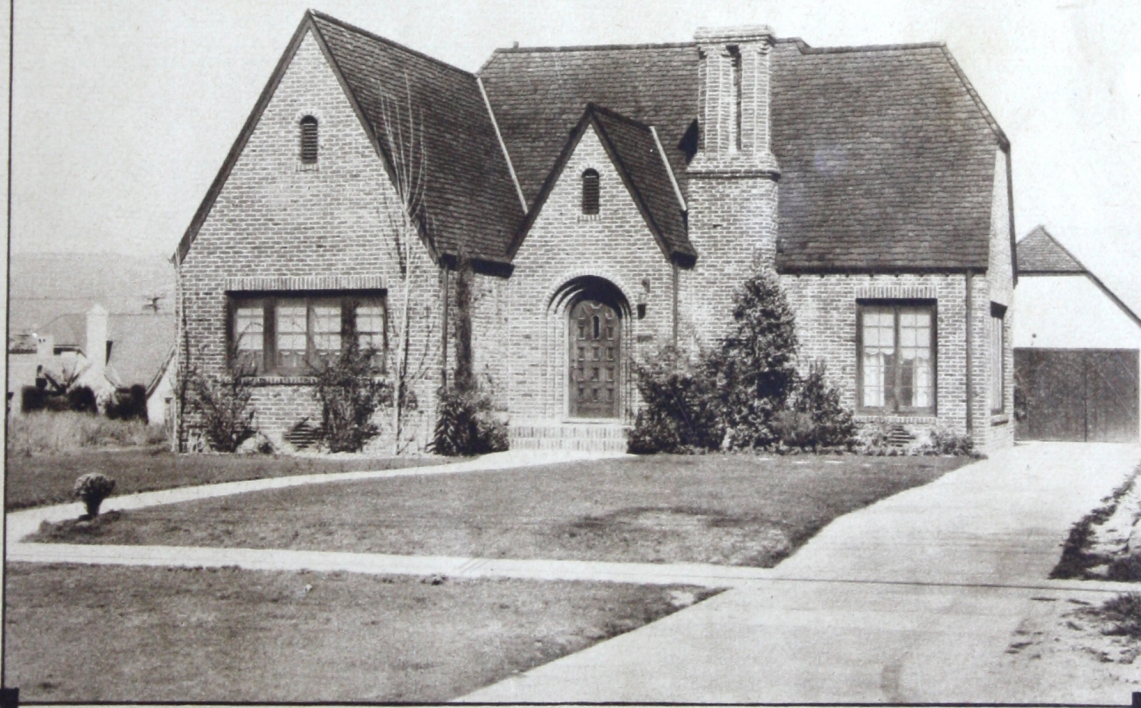
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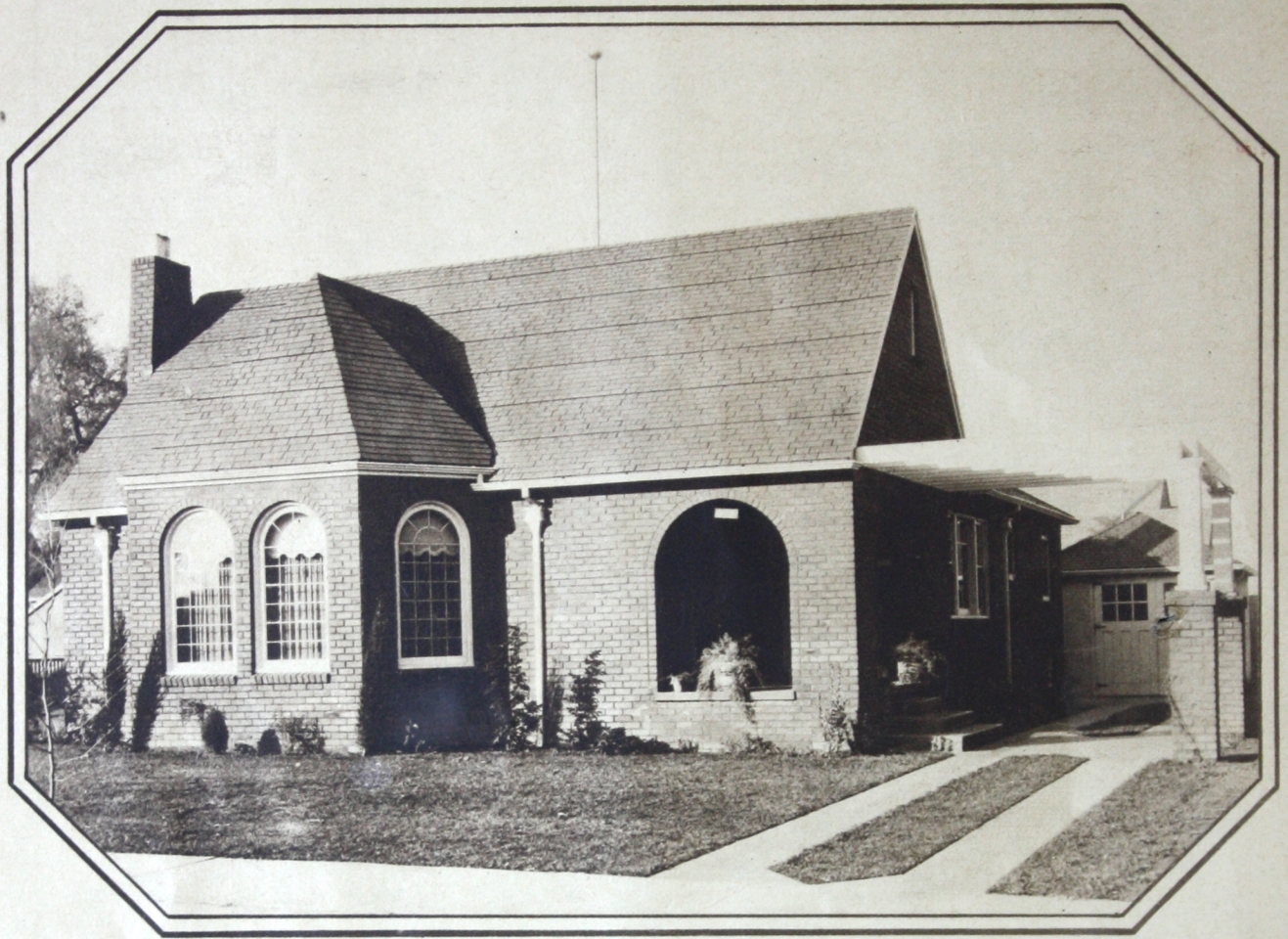


THE BROWN

The English type cottage here illustrated provides a compact, convenient and comfortable floor plan. The fireplace, with its quaintly ornamental flues, and the beautiful circle head entrance and door are pleasing details. Those who choose this plan will have no regrets.

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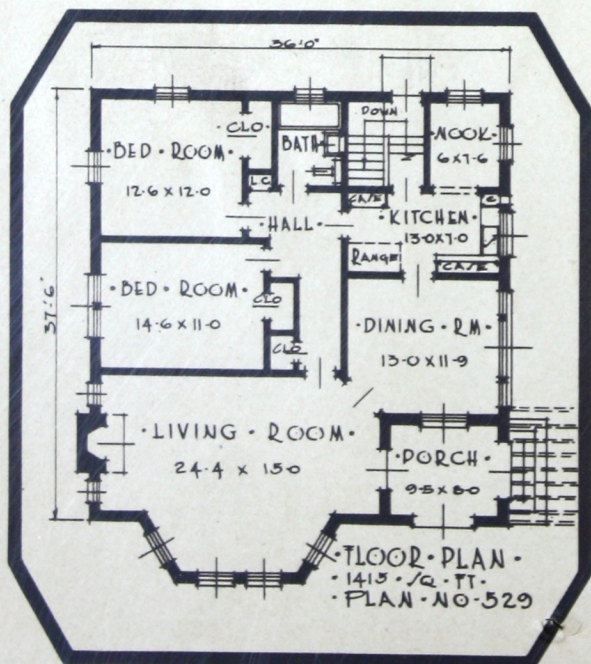


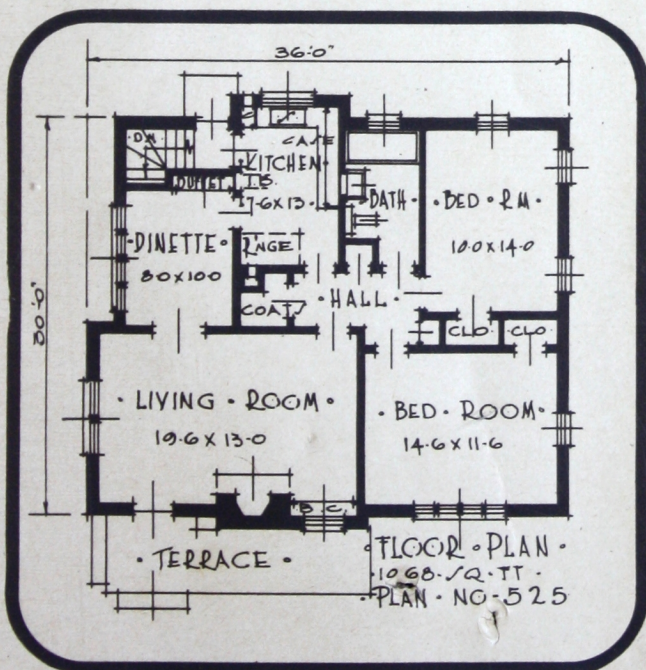


THE CARTER

Because of its durability and the low cost of upkeep brick construction is steadily becoming more popular. Homes built of brick are cool in summer and warm in winter. The floor plan of this house is unusually well arranged with easy accessibility to all rooms. The living room is an extremely pleasant one with a large fireplace and an attractive bay window. The porte-cochere adds agreeably to the exterior design.

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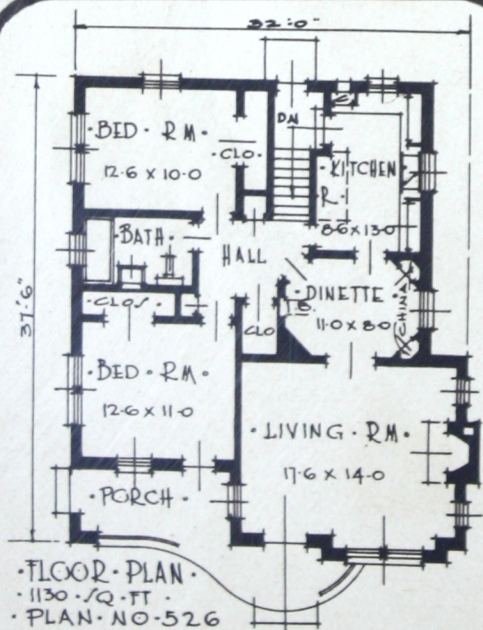




THE COLEMAN

Here the monotony of the brick walls has been relieved and enhanced through the use of half timbering and stucco on the gables. The plan is simple and well arranged and has many admirable features and conveniences. Like most modern kitchens, this one is well lined with built-ins.

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THE AMMIDON

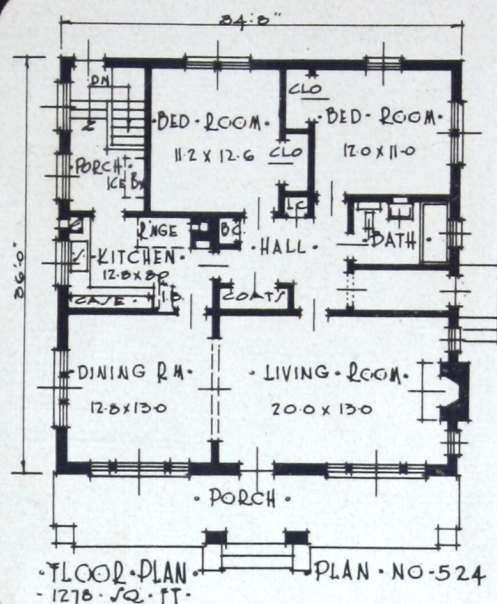
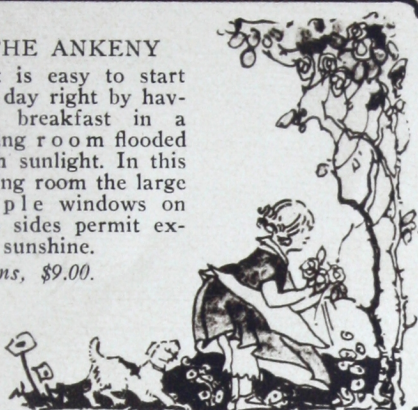
Here is a substantial modern home. One of its most attractive features is the large porch. The exterior walls are laid up in buff brick veneer, and a beautiful, soft effect has been secured.

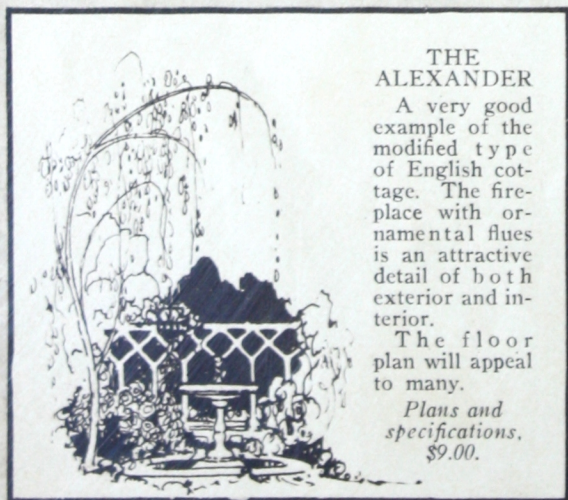
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THE ANKENY

It is easy to start the day right by having breakfast in a dining room flooded with sunlight. In this dining room the large triple windows on two sides permit extra sunshine.

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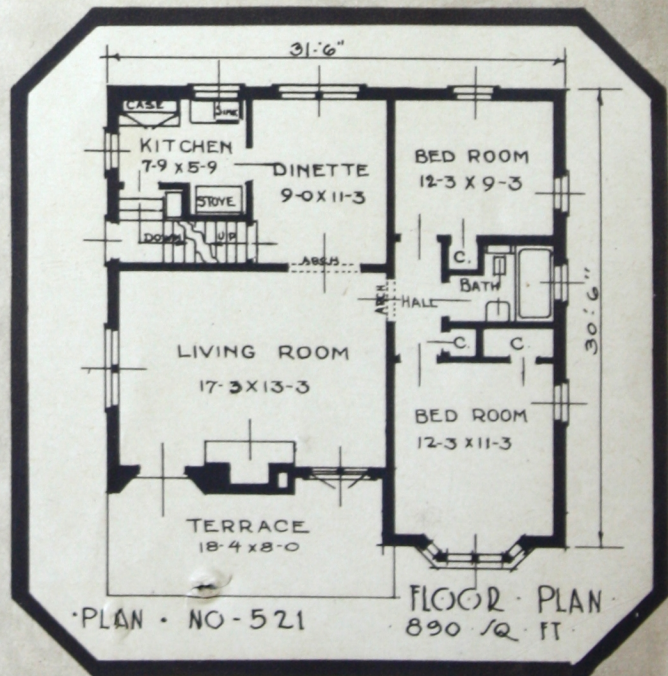


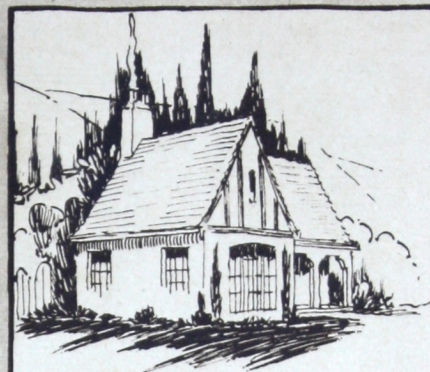
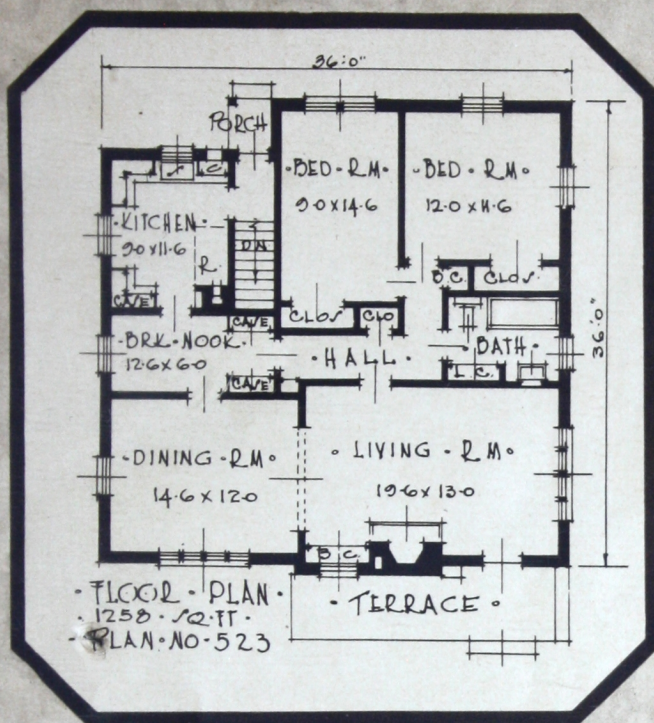
THE ALEXANDER

A very good example of the modified type of English cottage. The fireplace with ornamental flues is an attractive detail of both exterior and interior.

The floor plan will appeal to many.

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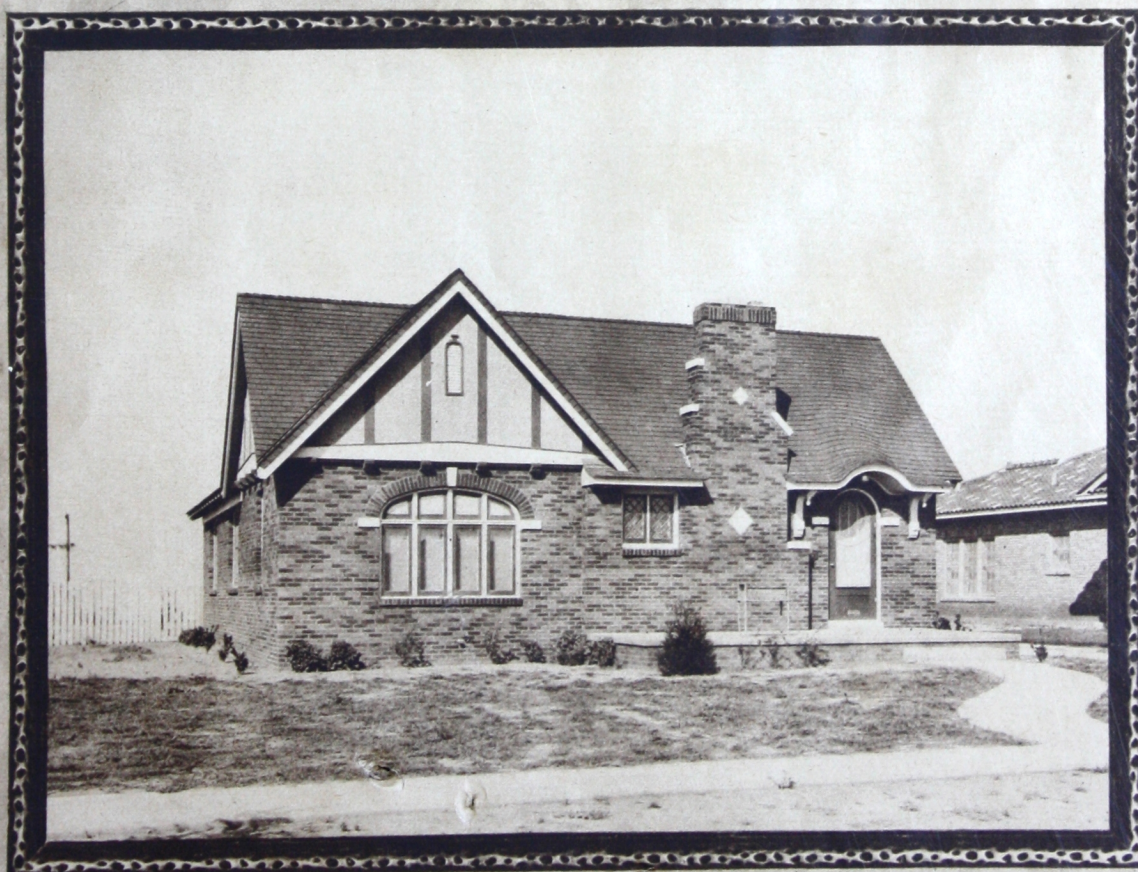


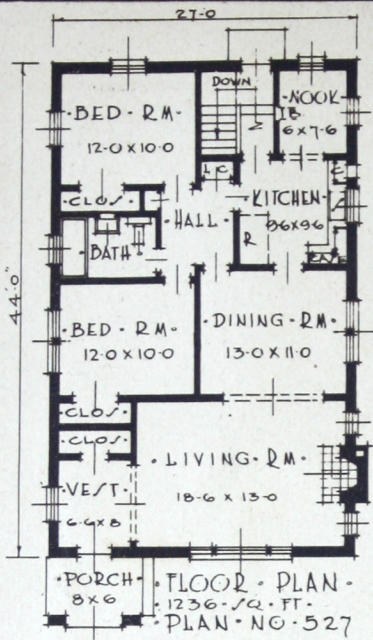


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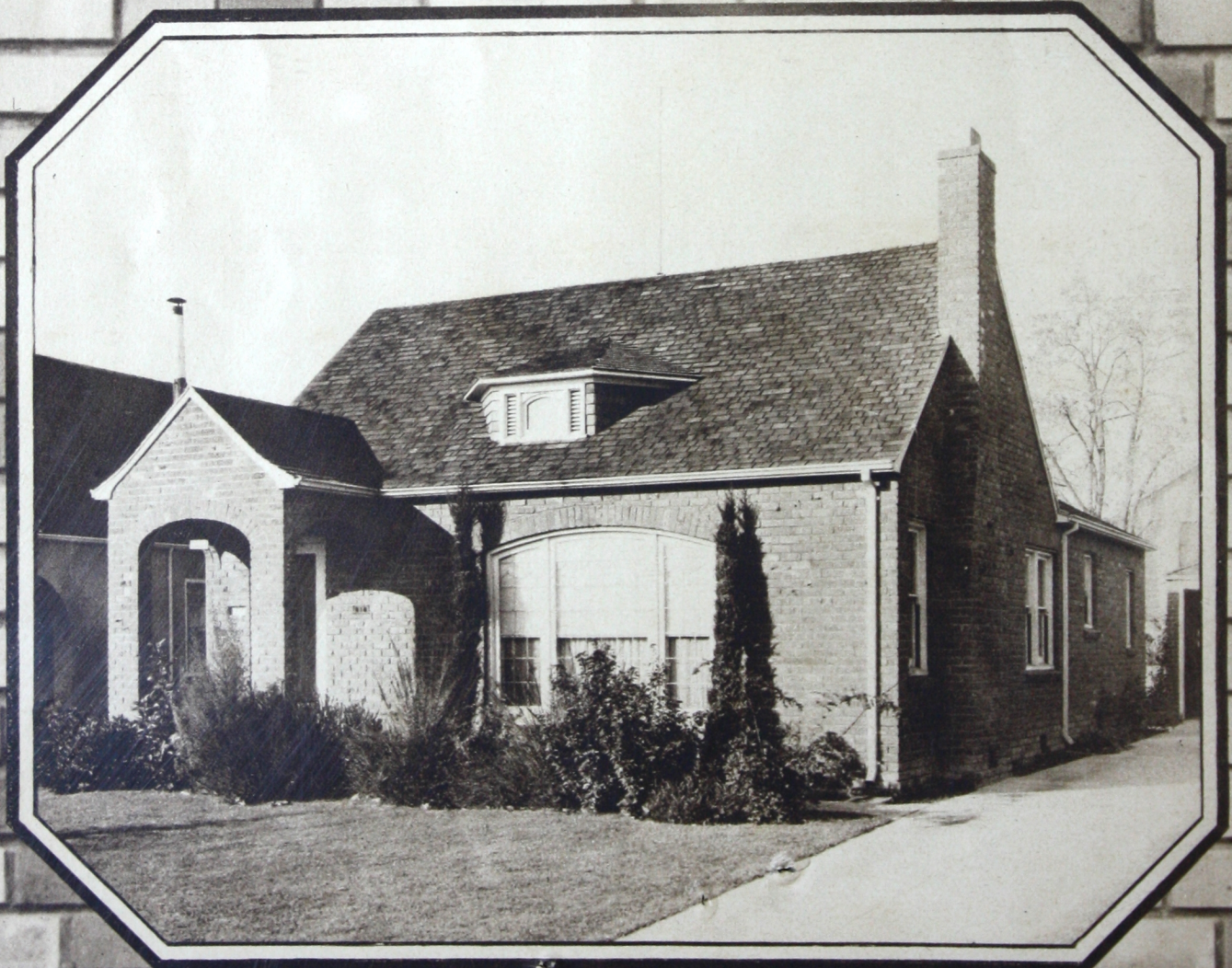
For those who seek a "Home of Comfort" the house here illustrated is the last word in a five-room house. Its design sets a high standard for small homes. Artistic handling of the brickwork and good choice of colors make this a charming home. The floor plan is compact and convenient. A real home for the home hungry.

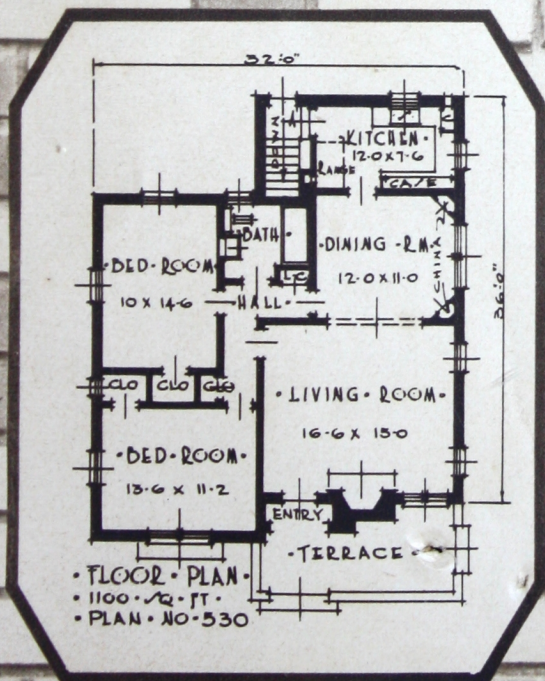
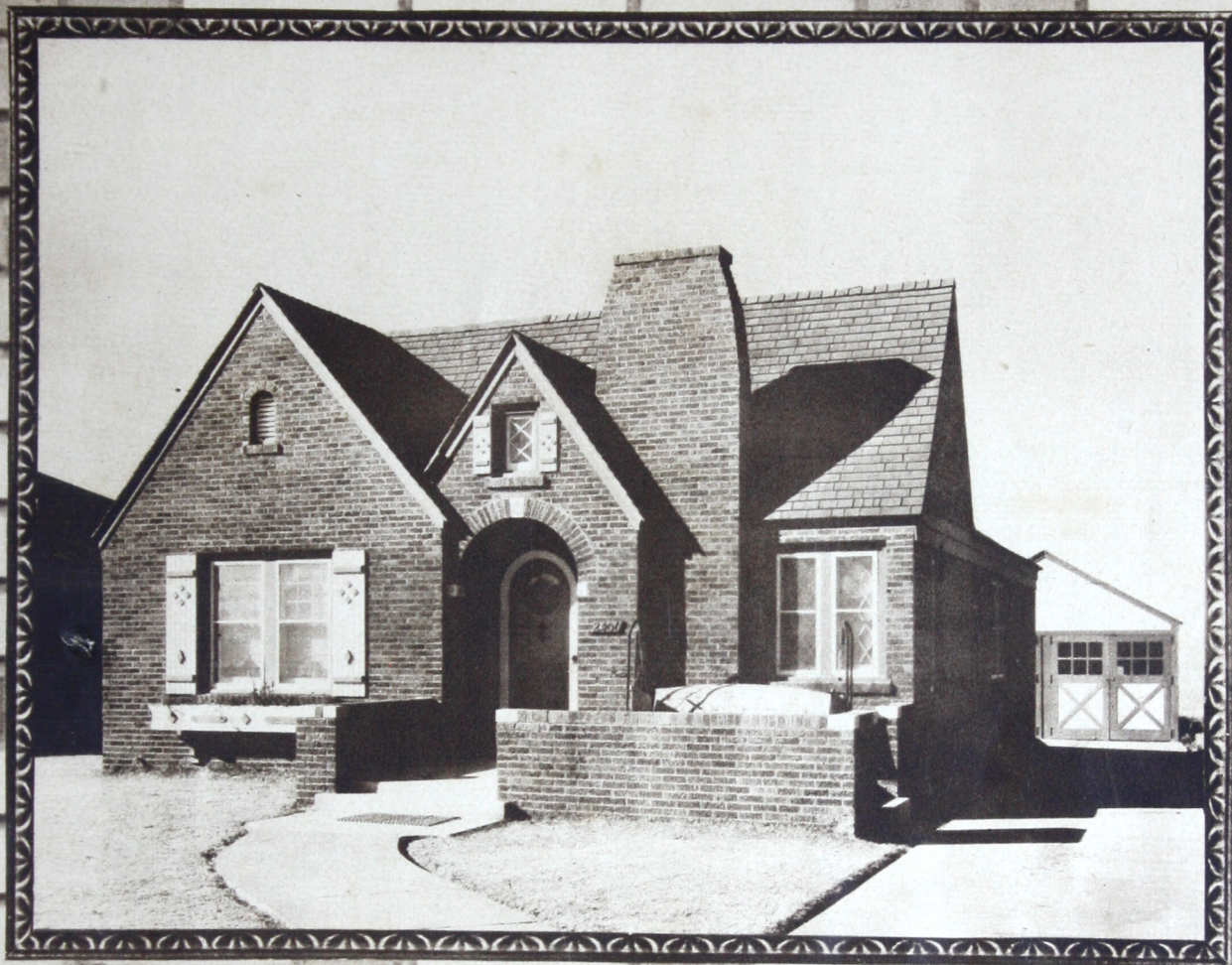
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THE BERNARD
 Set low on level ground close to the soil, this house produces an especially pleasing effect.
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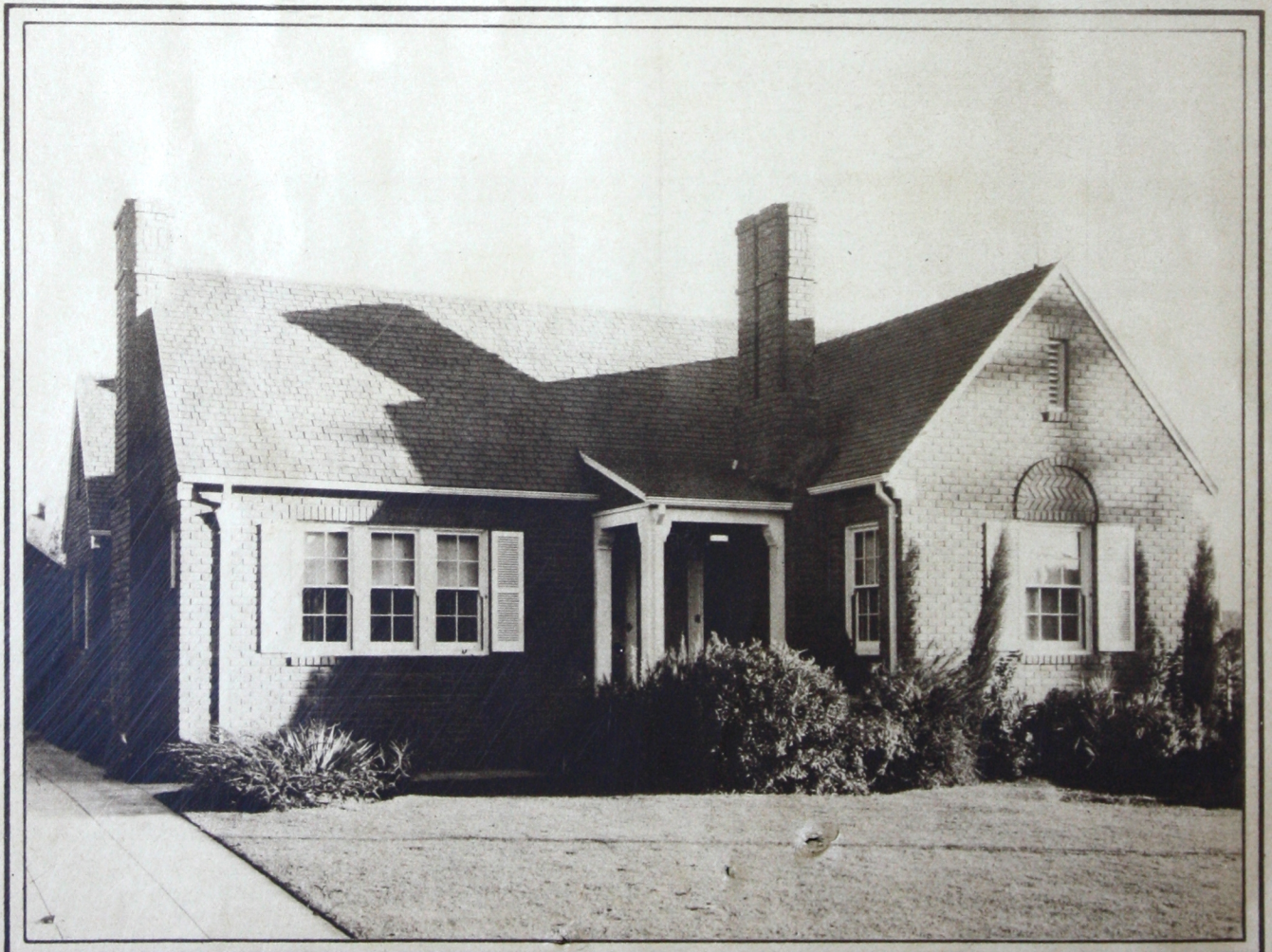
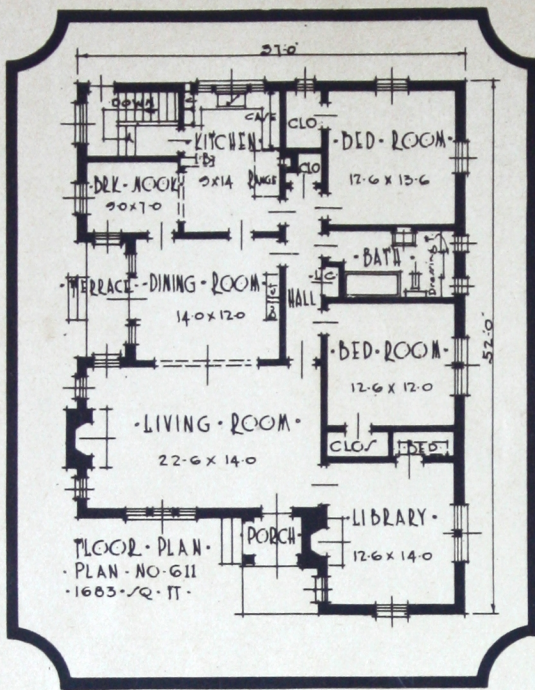


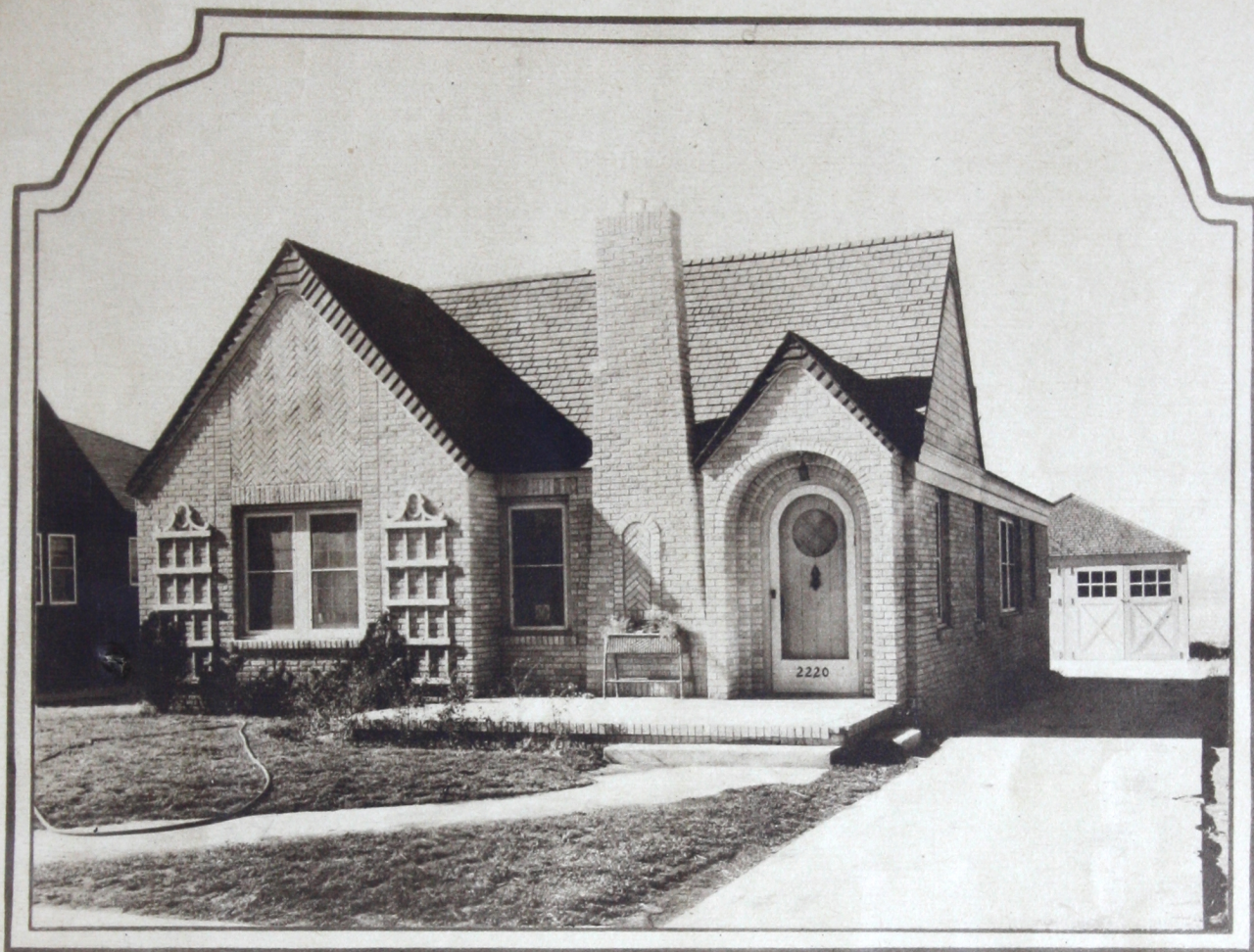


THE SEALY

Here domesticity is a dominant note — quiet, peaceful, contented. The floor plan calls for two bedrooms with a wall-bed closet in the library. Two fireplaces add greatly to the comfort and cheeriness of this house. The monotony of the red brick walls is relieved and enhanced by cream-colored shutters and trim.

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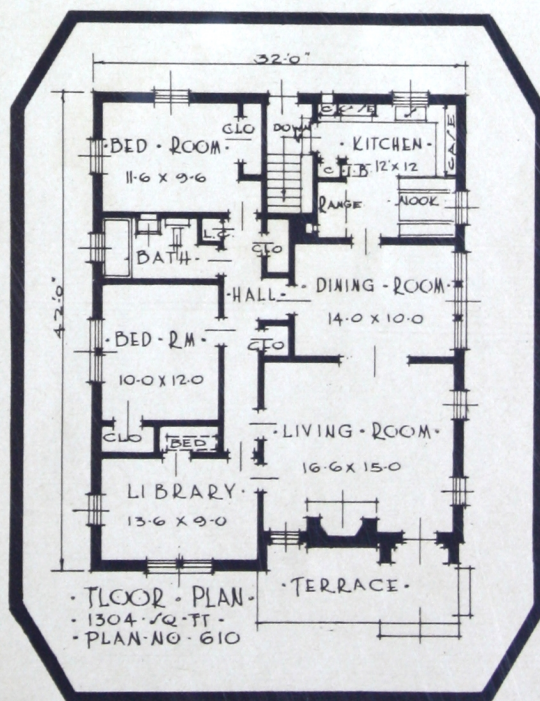


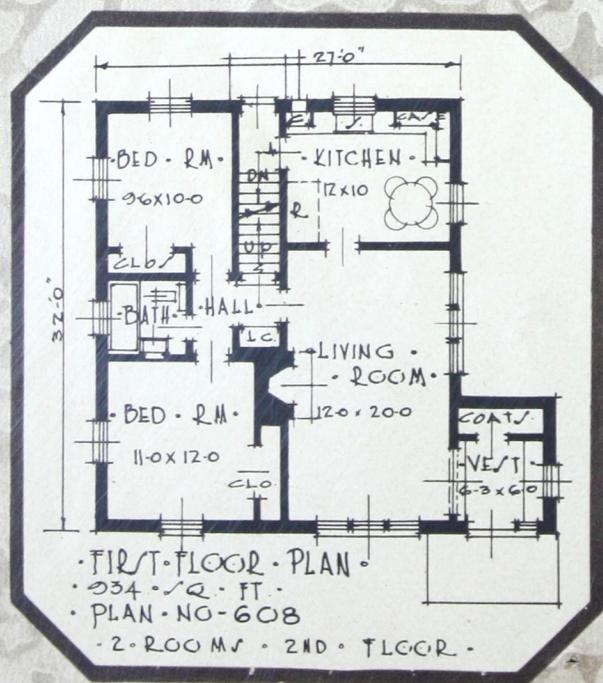


THE GRAVELY

There is a feeling of solidity and permanence to this house. The design accents the circle head entrance and the chimney. The herring-bone work in the gable and the trellises are artistic features. Buff brick has been used.

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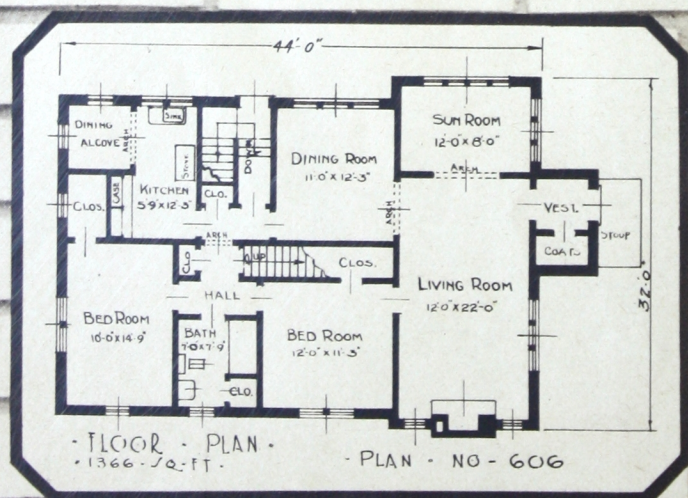




THE GIBSON

Every room has a corner exposure in this interesting design. Plentiful air circulation will keep this home comfortable in the summer months. The "Common Room," taking the place of both living and dining room, gives opportunity for one large room with no added expense. The dining end is well removed.

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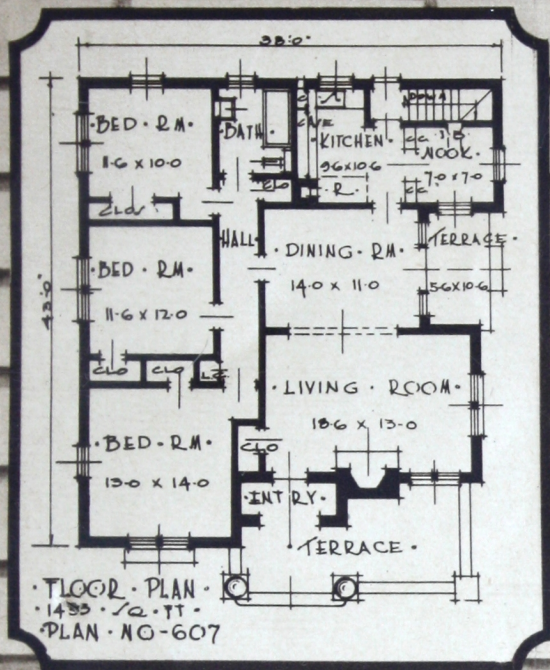


THE MACKIE

The English type here illustrated has a compact, convenient and comfortable floor plan. The living room is given a more spacious effect by the wide opening into the sunroom and into the dining room.

This home will strike an instant appeal with many home lovers.

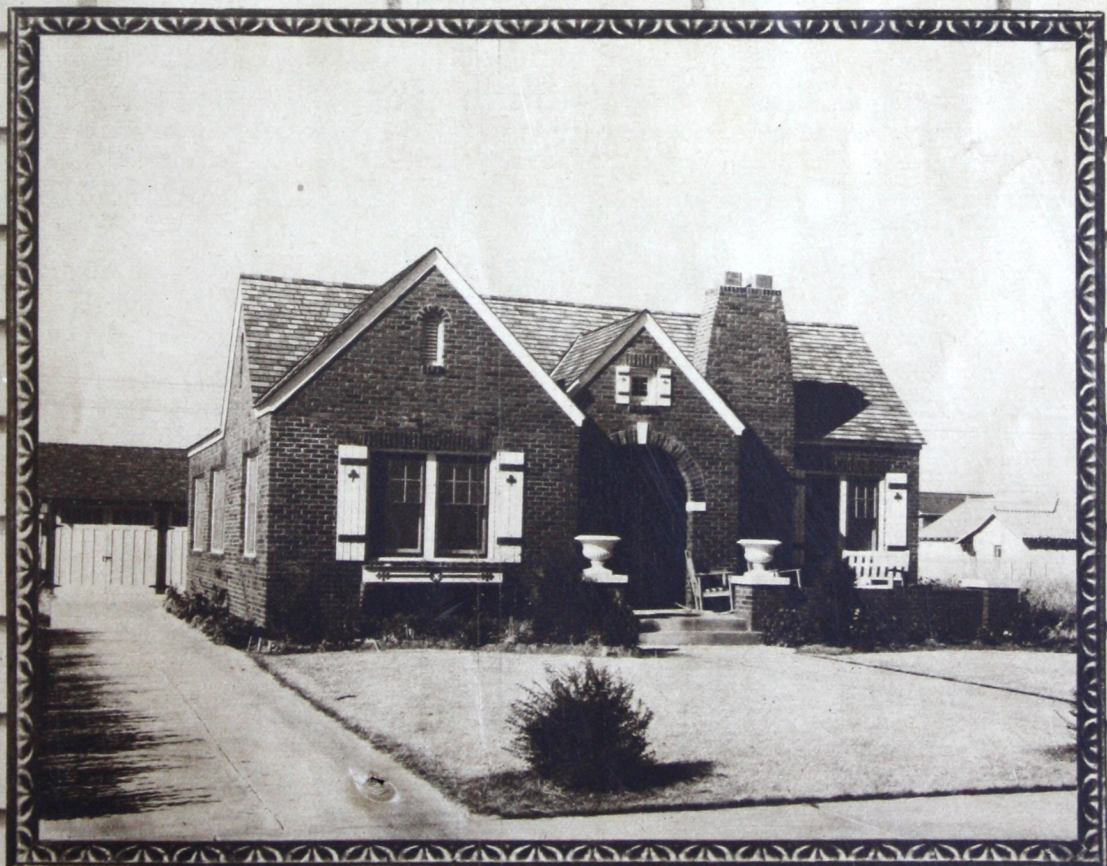
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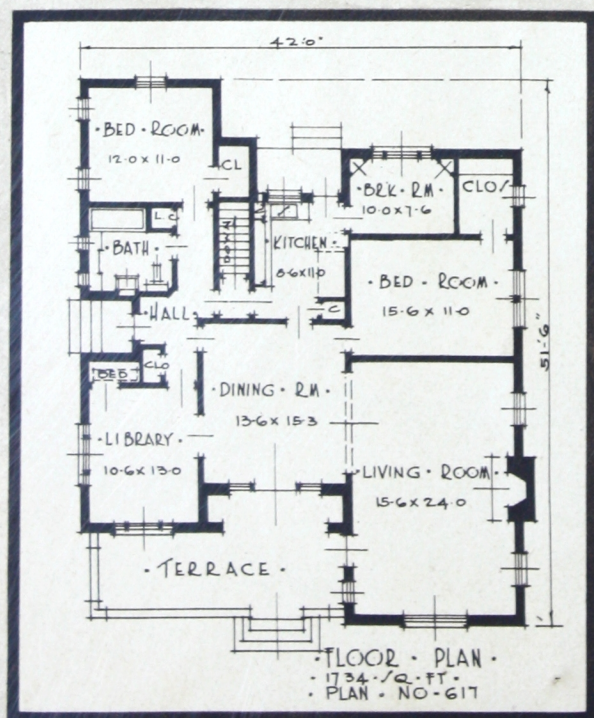
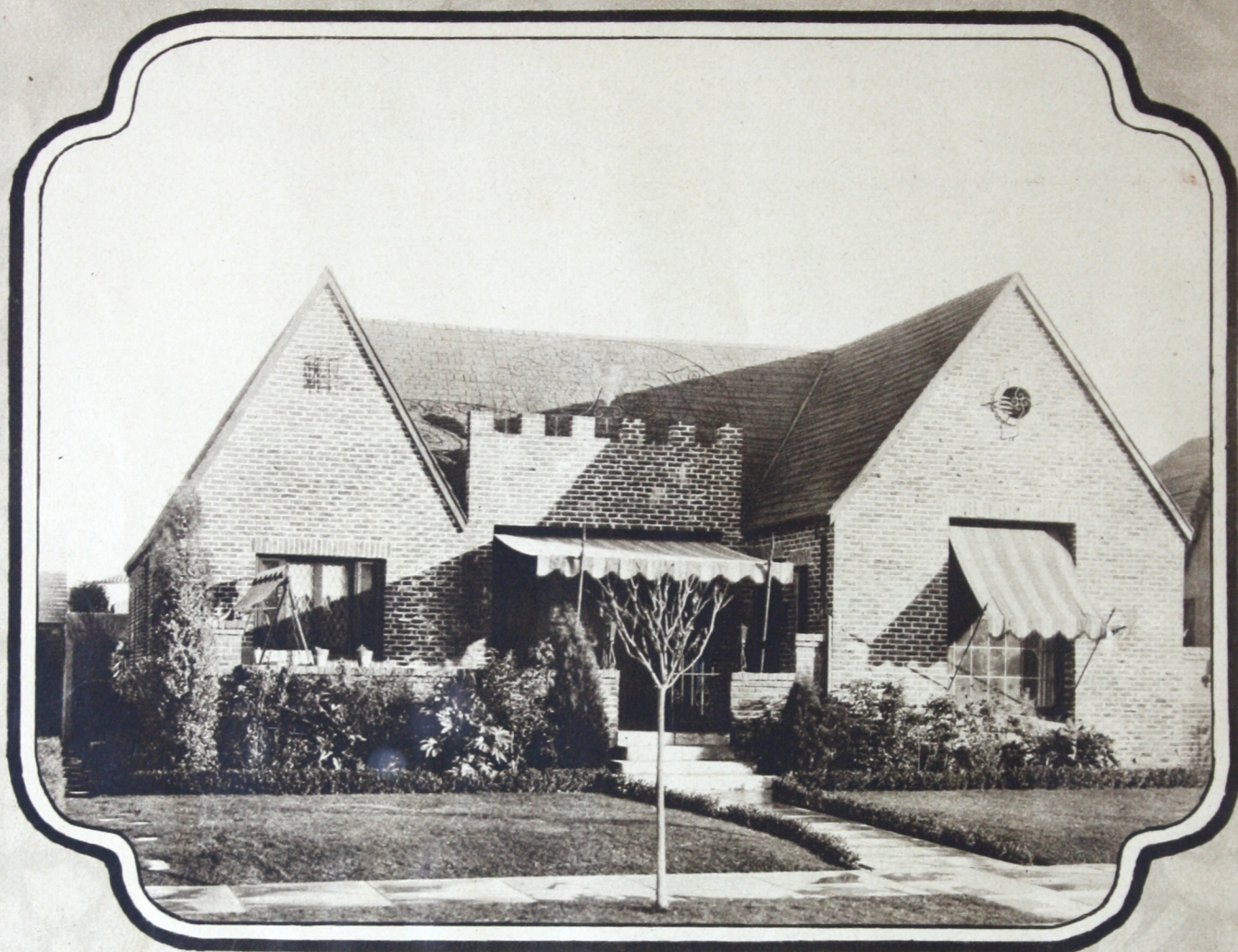


THE ROBERT

Here is architecture, beauty and charm due to the excellent proportions. Attention to details like these give a home character and distinction. The terrace adjoining the dining room is an attractive feature.

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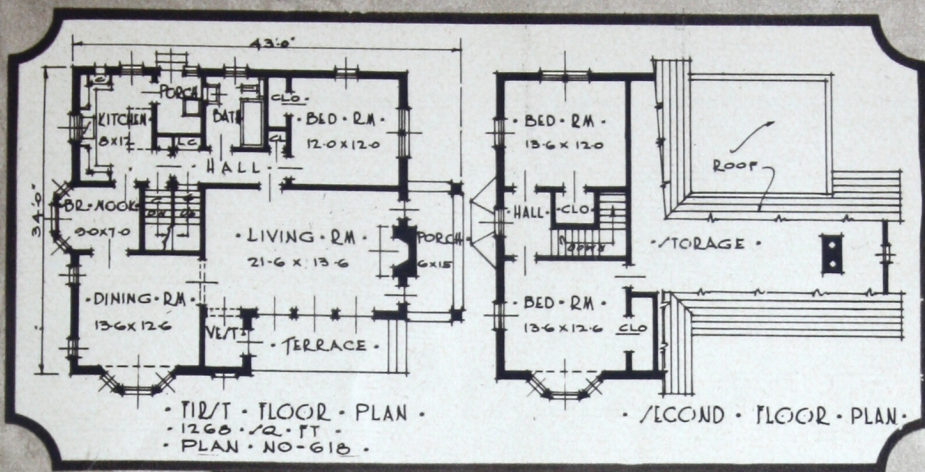




THE OLDS

For a house of interesting angles outside and in, this plan would be hard to improve. The delightful way the living room, dining room and library are grouped in relation to each other provide spaciousness.

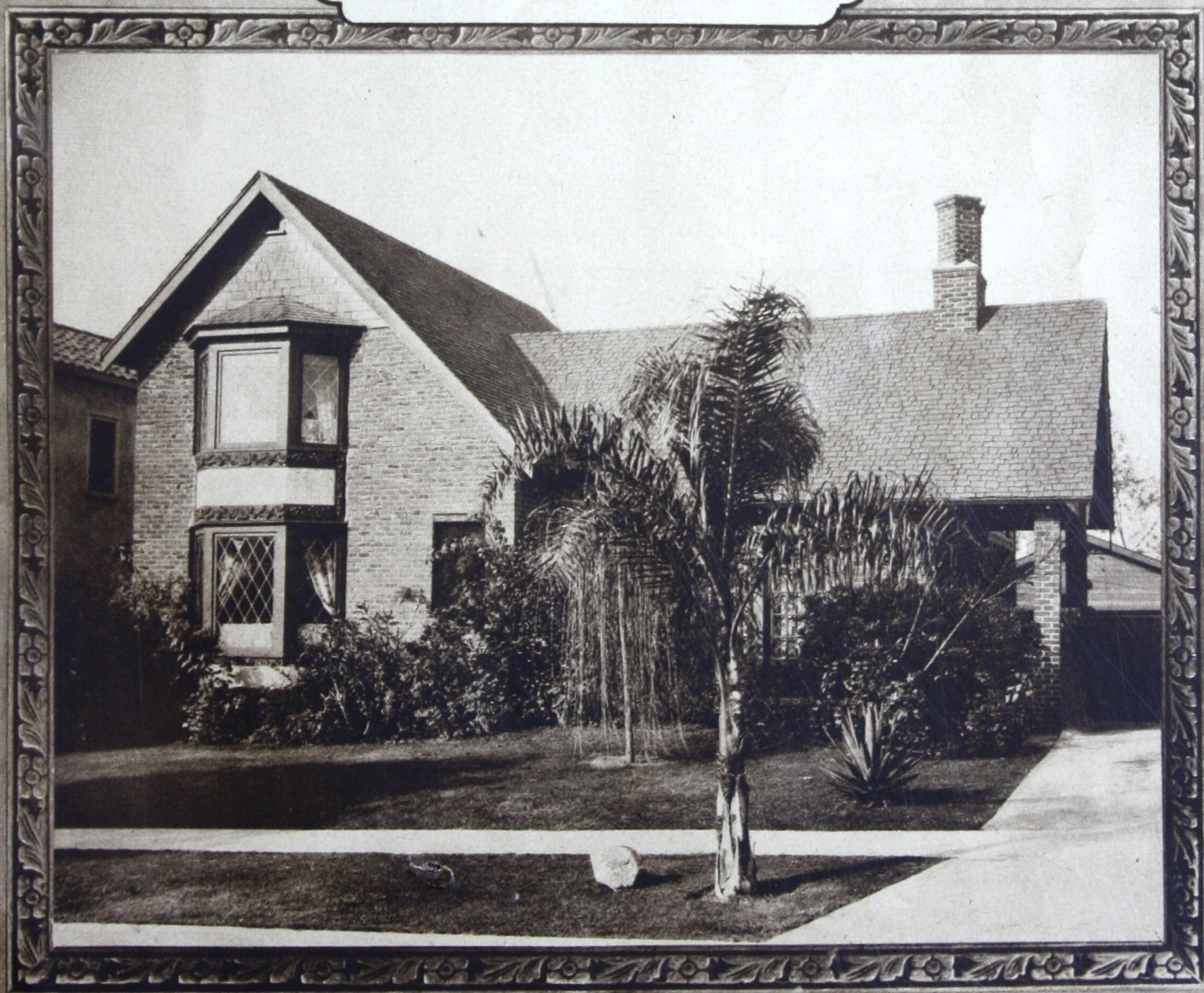
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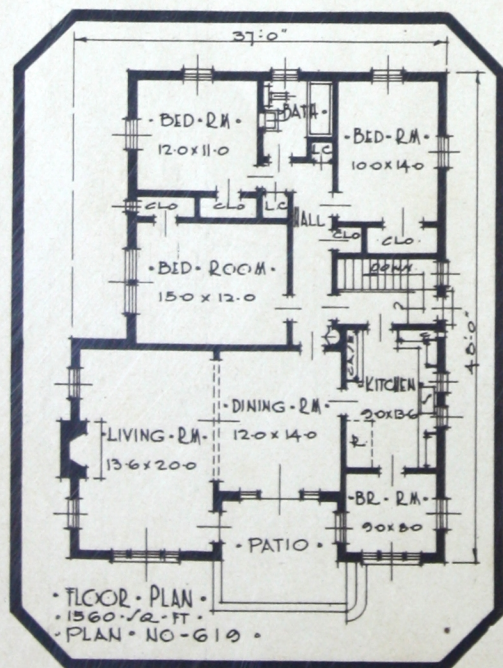
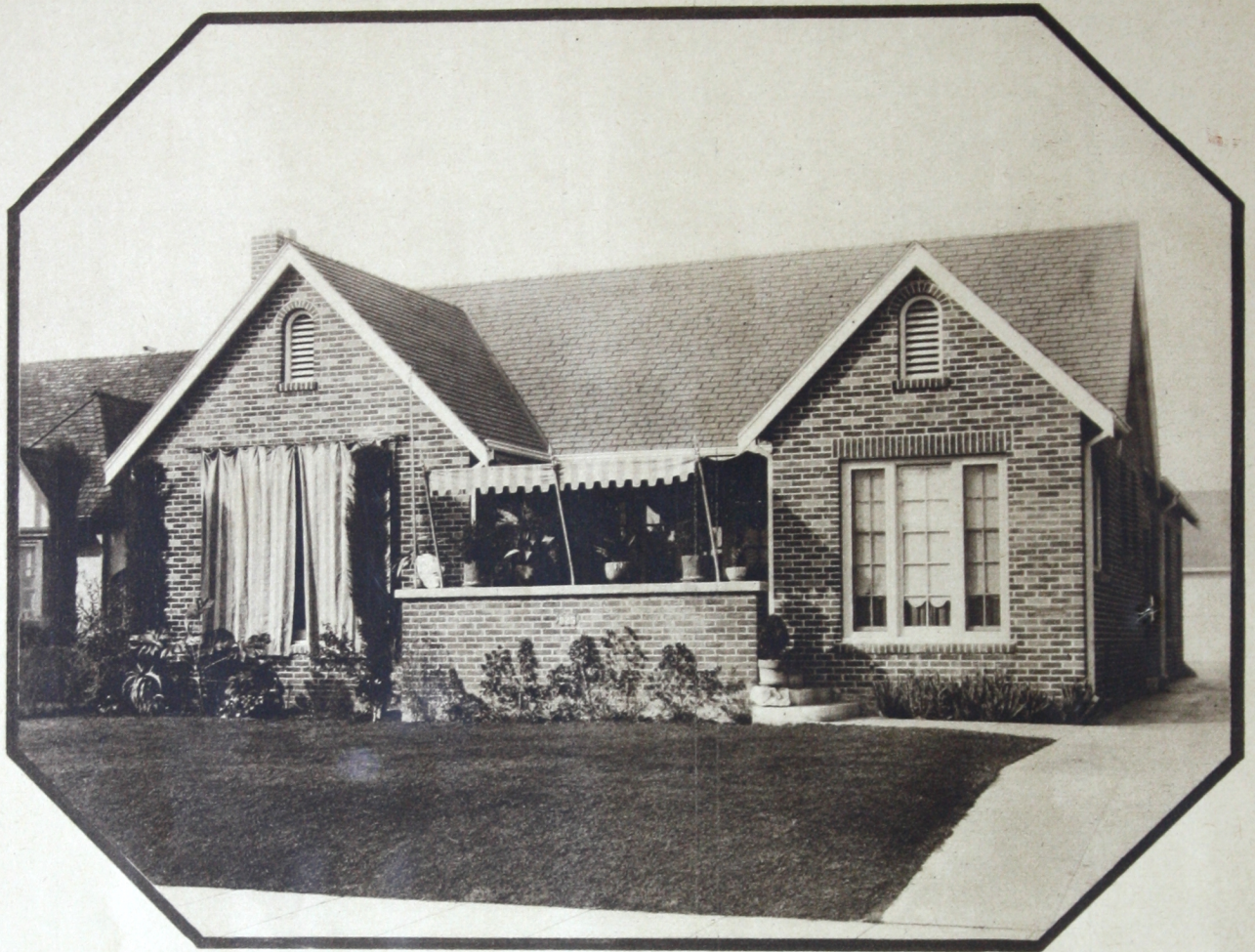


THE COMBEST

This excellent design is reminiscent of those picturesque houses along the high roads of Merrie England. The bay windows with their latticed panes and attractive trim are delightful features.

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THE OSBURN

This house has a host of friends. It is decidedly popular because of its attractive exterior and the convenient arrangement of the floor plan. Sleeping quarters and bath are separated from the other rooms in such a way as to insure privacy.

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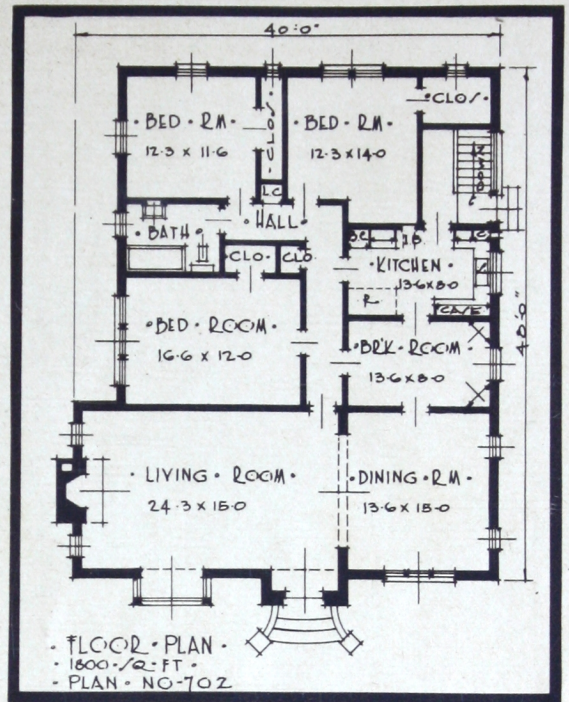




THE HARVEY

This house has that illusive yet so desired quality in a home—that air of hospitality, that quality that invites the guest and welcomes the owner. The novel herring-bone treatment of the brick, the touches of stucco, the half timbering and the gay awnings over entrance door and windows contribute greatly to the effectiveness of this design.

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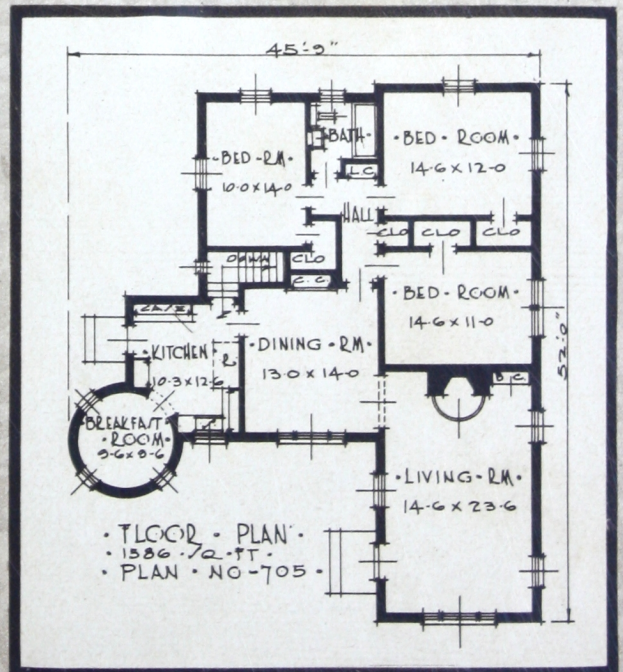


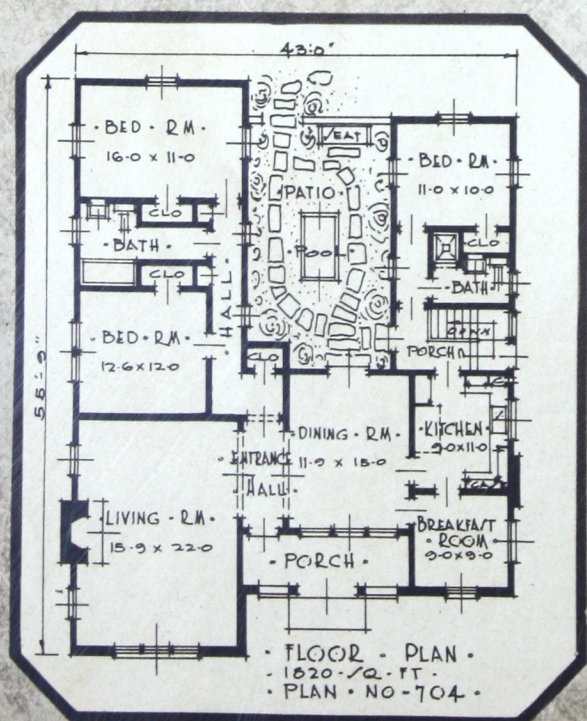


THE HOLT

This home combines English and Norman atmosphere with good lines. The tower, while it plays an important part in exterior appearance, is also equally important to the interior plan. Here it forms an attractive breakfast nook.

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THE HAMILTON

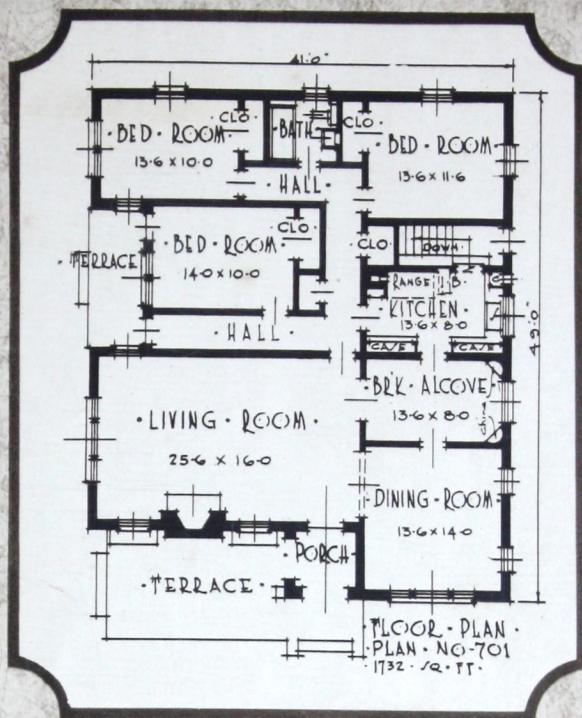
Unusually novel treatment of the brickwork gives charm to this exterior. The arrangement of the rooms around the patio is most attractive. Many delightful hours can be spent out of doors.

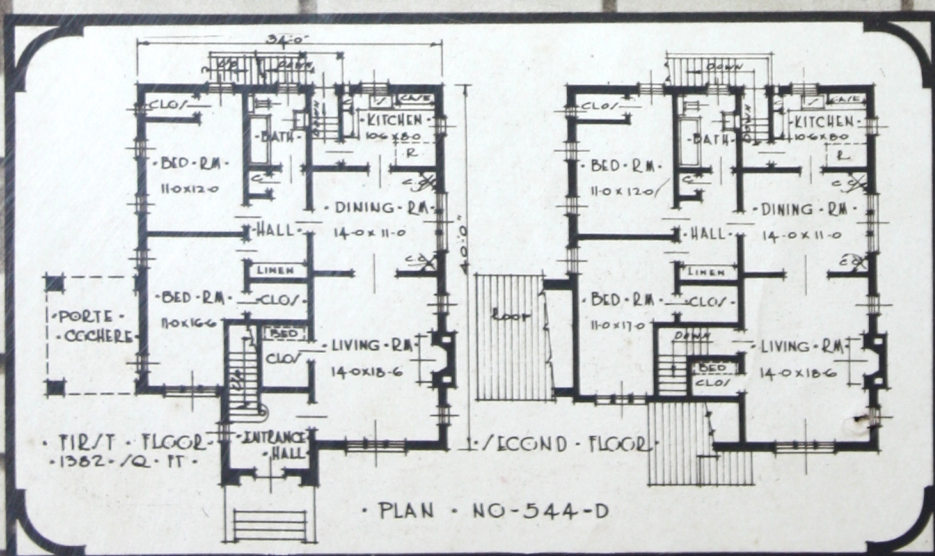
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THE OLIVER

There are many features about this genial looking design which grow upon you after studying it. The graceful slope of roof over entry, the attractive terraces, the wide eaves, the placing of the fireplace chimney. The floor plan has been very carefully arranged and calls for three bedrooms.

Plans and specifications for this home are \$15.00.





THE EDWARD

A two-family English type of structure having the appearance of a single dwelling. The floor plan is very well arranged, having a five-room apartment on each floor. Every convenience and ample closet and cupboard space has been provided for.

A wonderful plan for investment.

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